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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

ERNESTO GALLEGOS,
a/k/a ERNESTO GALLEGOS-
HERNANDEZ,
a/k/a ERNESTO HERNANDEZ,

Defendant.

CR No. 08-70837 EMC

STIPULATION AND ~~PROPOSED~~ ORDER
EXCLUDING TIME UNDER FED. R. CRIM.
P. 5.1 and 18 U.S.C. § 3161

On December 10, 2008, the parties in this case appeared before the Court for the defendant's detention hearing. At that time, the parties requested, and the Court agreed, to set the date for the defendant's preliminary hearing or arraignment on January 8, 2009. The parties also requested that pursuant to Federal Rule of Criminal Procedure ("FRCP") 5.1(d), the time limits set forth in FRCP 5.1(c) be extended through January 8, 2009. The parties agree that,

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NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

1 taking into account the public interest in prompt disposition of criminal cases, good cause exists
2 for this extension.

3 The defendant also agrees to exclude for this period of time any time limits applicable
4 under 18 U.S.C. § 3161. The parties represented that granting the continuance was the
5 reasonable time necessary for continuity of defense counsel. 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(8)(B)(iv). The
6 parties also agreed that the ends of justice served by granting such a continuance outweighed the
7 best interests of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial. 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(8)(A).

8 SO STIPULATED:

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10 JOSEPH P. RUSSONIELLO
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12 DATED: December 10, 2008

13 /s/
TAREK J. HELOU
Assistant United States Attorney


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15 DATED: December 10, 2008

16 /s/
JODI LINKER
Attorney for Defendant ERNESTO GALLEGOS

17 For the reasons stated above, the Court finds that the extension of time for the defendant's
18 preliminary hearing or arraignment through January 8, 2009 is warranted and that the ends of
19 justice served by the continuance outweigh the best interests of the public and the defendant in a
20 speedy trial. 18 U.S.C. §3161 (h)(8)(A); FRCP 5.1(d). The failure to grant the requested
21 continuance would deny the defendant effective preparation of counsel, and would result in a
22 miscarriage of justice. 18 U.S.C. §3161(h)(8)(B)(iv).

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24 SO ORDERED.

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26 DATED: 12/11/08

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THE HONORABLE EDWARD M. CHEN
United States Magistrate Judge